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CONFIRMATION NO. 1896

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## NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY (NONPROVISIONAL)

### *Filing Date Granted*

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has received your reply on 07/20/2004 to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed 06/24/2004 and it has been entered into the nonprovisional application. The reply, however, does not include the following items required in the Notice.

The period of reply remains as set forth in the Notice. You may, however, obtain EXTENSIONS OF TIME under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a) accompanied by the appropriate fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)).

A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application. Replies should be mailed to: Mail Stop Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria VA 22313-1450.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
  - The drawings have a line quality that is too light to be reproduced (weight of all lines and letters must be heavy enough to permit adequate reproduction) or text that is illegible (reference characters, sheet numbers, and view numbers must be plain and legible) see 37 CFR 1.84(l) and (p)(1)); See Figure(s) 4.

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Dated: August 4, 2004\_

Signature: 

(Beverly S. Carter)

Docket No.: 556592000600  
(PATENT)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
David WAKE et al.

Application No.: 10/821,590

Confirmation Number: 1896

Filed: April 9, 2004

Art Unit: N/A

For: OPTICAL FIBER COMMUNICATIONS  
METHOD AND SYSTEM WITHOUT A  
REMOTE ELECTRICAL POWER SUPPLY

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

**SECOND RESPONSE TO MISSING PARTS**

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Dear Sir:

With reference to the subject application and in further response to the enclosed Notice to File Missing Parts... dated June 24, 2004, attached please find a new set of formal drawings. The executed Declaration and the surcharge of \$130.00 were submitted with Applicants' first response dated July 16, 2004. Applicants request that the enclosed drawings be entered in the application.

In the unlikely event that the transmittal form is separated from this document and the Patent Office determines that an extension and/or other relief is required, Applicant petitions for any required relief including extensions of time and authorize the Director to charge the cost of such petitions and/or other fees due in connection with the filing of this document to **Deposit Account**

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No. 03-1952 referencing 556592000600. However, the Director is not authorized to charge the cost of the issue fee to the Deposit Account.

Dated: August 4, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

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SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity

- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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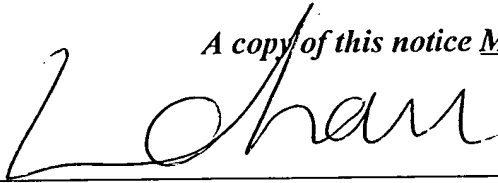
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Dear Sir:

With reference to the subject application and in response to the enclosed Notice of Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional) dated August 9, 2004, please be advised that the replacement drawings were submitted to the Patent Office with our letter dated August 4, 2004. Enclosed for your ready reference are copies of the August 4, 2004 transmittal letter and drawings that were attached.

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